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1. PLEASE PASS FOLLOWING MESSAGE TO DR. METALNIKOV
FROM DR. MARTINEAU.

2. WORLD OCEANS AGREEMENT, BIOLOGY WORKING GROUP
(06.05040)

DR. ALEXANDR P. METALNIKOV
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DEAR DR. METALNIKOV:

SUBJECT: US-USSR EXCHANGE VISIT OF TWO US MARINE
BIOLOGISTS TO INSTITUTE OF SEA BIOLOGY OF THE USSR
ACADEMY OF SCIENCES, VLADIVOSTOK, TO DO RESEARCH
ON MARINE FOULING ORGANISMS, AUG-SEPT 1977.

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I AM EXTREMELY CONCERNED ABOUT HAVING BEEN ADVISED THAT DR. A. V. ZHIRMUNSKIJ HAS HAD TO POSTPONE THE VISIT OF DR. RUTH TURNER, HARVARD UNIVERSITY/WHOI AND MR. WALTER NELSON, DUKE UNIVERSITY TO THE INSTITUTE OF SEA BIOLOGY OF THE USSR ACADEMY OF SCIENCES, VLADIVOSTOK, TO DO COOPERATIVE RESEARCH IN MARINE FOULING ORGANISMS. TURNER AND NELSON HAVE CANCELED IMPORTANT RESEARCH ACTIVITIES IN THE US IN ORDER TO MAKE THIS TRIP POSSIBLE AND THEIR AVAILABILITY AT A LATER TIME IS UNCERTAIN. THE SUCCESS OF JOINT ACTIVITIES REQUIRES A FOLLOW-THROUGH ON SCHEDULED COOPERATIVES. TURNER AND NELSON MUST DEPART THE US ON AUGUST 4 AND REQUIRE IMMEDIATE CONFORMATION OF THEIR VISIT.

I URGE THAT THIS MATTER BE RESOLVED AND ARRANGEMENTS BE MADE FOR THE VISIT IN AUGUST. SHOULD IT BE POSSIBLE THAT THE EXCHANGE TAKE PLACE AS SCHEDULED, WOULD YOU PLEASE HAVE FORMAL INVITATIONS SENT TO THE SOVIET EMBASSY BY JULY 25 FOR VISA ISSUANCE. IF THE PRINCIPLE OF "RECEIVING SIDE PAYS" FROM PORT OF ENTRY TO PORT OF DEPARTURE IS NOT POSSIBLE, PLEASE ADVISE AND WE WILL SECURE FUNDING ON THE US SIDE.

YOUR COOPERATION IN THIS MATTER WILL BE APPRICATED.
THANK YOU AND BEST REGARDS.
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